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Director's Meeting

Thursday, 11 October 1951

The DCI raised the question of an [] man in [] and who should decide whether we should have one. Mr. Dulles said we had no representative there at the moment and that he believed Mr. Matthews of State and [] would have to decide this. Mr. Jackson noted that there was a question of principles involved if Ambassadors could determine where we should have representatives. No decision was reached on the [] job. Mr. Dulles will look into it. (Mr. [] will check with Mr. Kirkpatrick to find out what has happened).

The Director asked what good if any we were doing in [] Mr. Dulles admitted that the situation was not clear in what we were trying to accomplish but that it was a State Department request. The Director asked Col. [] to look into the whole matter carefully and report back.

The DCI noted the item in the log in regard to Ambassador [] change of station and his request to [] him. The Director stated that in his reply to the Ambassador we should say that CIA would be glad to deviate from policy in this case and accede to his request.

The Director again mentioned that we must get some good men for the Board of Estimates, especially an economist. He stated that Gen. [] had declined. [] will determine whether there is anyone at Princeton whom we can approach. Mr. Dulles will try [] and the DCI will call []. The DCI also noted that he would sign Dr. Langer as a consultant after he leaves in February.

Mr. Dulles suggested that [] be cleared as a consultant. The Director approved. Col. [] said that this was already in process but he will follow it up.

Mr. Jackson asked who is riding herd on the consultants. Mr. [] will follow this and get a quarterly report from all the offices.

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Mr. Dulles brought up the question of coordination for Scientific Intelligence and will give Mr. Jackson a memorandum prepared by Dr. Chadwell.

There was discussion as to who should head a survey committee if Dr. [] were not available. Mr. Jackson will check over available Princeton scientists and the General will call []

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